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DROWNED.

A Child Loses Its Life in the Waters of Rove Creek.

While the property loss by the recent disastrous storms in this county is very great nothing so touches and grieves as does a loss by death and unfortunately the flood did not spare human life. A little girl of six years, daughter of Henry Canterbury, of Rove Creek, was drowned in the swollen waters of that stream last Thursday. The mother was at the house of a neighbor, and it is supposed that the little one became frightened by the storm and started to go to its parent and fell off a walk-log into the creek. When the child was missed a search was organized, and after an all night quest the body was found about a mile from the spot where it is thought it fell into the stream.

The Show is Coming.

Sun Brothers' World's Progressive Railroad Shows will soon be here in all their own grandeur and splendor, showing at Louisa, Aug. 29.

Among the array of talent with this excellent amusement establishment, we note the great Orrin Hollis, Champion of Champions, principal somersault rider; Master George Sun, the young pony rider; Prof. Walter Ashburn, Performing Trick Elephants; Mlle. Fernandez and her school of educated dogs, cockatoos and carrier pigeons, the great leaping dogs, Rox and Betta; Mlle. Brown on the spinning and revolving globe, up spirals and inclines; Lamberto on the slack wire; Mlle. Sebastine on the flying cloud rings; the Sisters Smilletta in puzzling acts of contortion; Dan Randall and 19 other Funny Clowns, and many other great and distinguished novelties and features of which space forbids mentioning. This is surely one of the best shows on the road and one that everybody can attend. The parade takes place at 12 o'clock. Doors open at 1 and 7 p. m. Performances commence one hour later. No Gambling or Games of Chance allowed with Sun Brothers' Shows. We carry our own Electric Light Plant.

Died of His Injuries.

Floyd Adkins, a C. & O. brakeman, running on the Lexington division, received injuries in a tunnel near Becker, who used to say some of the Aden on Wednesday night of last week which resulted in his death at the C. & O. hospital in Huntington early Sunday morning. He was found on top of a box car unconscious, his skull having been crushed, probably by a mail crane. Adkins was living in Ashland, but his body was brought to Potters station, four miles north of Louisa, where it was interred Monday last. Mrs. Adkins is a sister of Charles See, who went to Huntington for the remains, and who, with other relatives, attended the burial.

City Bonds Prepared.

The City Council met in called session last Tuesday night and took the necessary action upon the \$4000 bond issue voted at the recent election for the Kentucky Normal College site. The meeting was attended by a number of citizens and it was all harmonious.

An order was made to have the bonds prepared and printed and placed on the market. H. C. Sullivan and A. J. Garred were appointed to formulate and have the bonds printed.

Death of An old Citizen.

Last Saturday "Aunt" Peggy Burchett, aged 84 years, died at the residence of her son-in-law, Sam See, near Walbridge, where she had lived many years. The body was brought to Louisa by train Sunday morning and met by Undertaker Snyder and carried to the Sam Bartram graveyard where it was interred, Rev. Albert Miller conducting the funeral service. Mrs. Burchett was the widow of William Burchett, a former Jailor of this county, and was for many years a resident of Louisa.

C. & O. Sunday Outings.

C. & O. Railway, Sunday Outings, July 1 to Sept. 30, 1906. Half fare, minimum 25 cents; between Big Sandy District stations for morning train No. 37, good to return on evening train No. 38.

Damage by Floods.

From all parts of this county come reports of the great damage to property of all kinds, to roads and to crops, by the heavy rains of the last ten days. At Busseyville thousands of feet of lumber were carried away, and all along that road culverts and bridges have been destroyed. The See bridge, up Tug two miles from Louisa, 65 feet long and 34 feet high, was washed entirely away. Sara Bellomy's mill on Bear creek was carried off and destroyed. At Fallsburg the water came into John Salyers' house, and came so suddenly he had barely time to carry out his wife and two children on his back. The same thing occurred at Frank Cochran's.

To escape the storm Charley Carter, who was driving on Fullers branch, in a fine new buggy, stopped at the house of a friend. He put his buggy under a shed and when the water began to rise he made a dash to get the vehicle to a place of safety. But, waist deep in the flood, he had to look out for himself, leaving the buggy to its fate. It was carried off and literally torn to pieces. It is said that he did find one hub, hundreds of yards away. Taking into account the loss of all kinds of property, including fencing, the loss in this county will doubtless run into the thousands.

Miss Wadsworth Sang.

Worshippers at the Southern Methodist Church last Sunday morning had the rare pleasure of hearing Miss Florence Wadsworth, of Maysville, sing two delightful selections. She had on former visits to this city sung for her friends, but this was the occasion of her first appearance before a congregation. Miss Wadsworth's voice is one of great compass, flexibility and power. Combine these with great sweetness and richness of tone, supplemented by the most careful study and training under the best masters, and you get a wonderfully fine voice. This is Miss Florence Wadsworth's.

Sale of Residence.

Sam Bromley and wife sold their residence property a few days ago to Wm. Cain, of Inez, for \$2,000. Possession is to be given in two months. Mr. and Mrs. Bromley will buy other property. Mr. Cain is a lawyer and will locate here for the practice of his profession. He comes here from Martin county and has long intended to make Louisa his home. After traveling in all directions and looking over the various towns he is more than ever convinced that Louisa is the most desirable place on earth to live.

New Bakery.

Ratcliff & Wheelersburg, two Ohio bakers, have rented the Louisa Bakery and opened for business. They are making bread, pies, cakes, and everything in their line. All the local patronage should be given them. A bakery is almost a necessity in a town of this size and is at least a great convenience to the people.

It looks as though the dog law may get the Assessor all "balled up." Until recently the assessment of property was as of Sept. 15th and the Assessor began his work at that time. By a recent law this time was moved up to Sept. 1st and the assessor begins then. The makers of the dog law probably had the old time of beginning, Sept. 15th, in mind and placed that as the time for the assessment of dogs. If the Assessor begins his work on Sept. 1st and cannot begin the assessment of dogs until Sept. 15th what of the list he has taken in the meantime? Will he omit the dogs or will he go back and assess the dogs? A man may have a dog on Sept. 1st but may get rid of him before the 15th. As it is some time before the first or fifteenth of September the assessor will have plenty of time to think about the matter.

The Syrian leper, who has been creating such a furore at points in West Virginia for the past two or three weeks, each locality being bent on having him move on, and who has been cared for by the State authorities, in an isolated camp the past week, is reported to have made his escape, and is said to be headed in the direction of Ashland. The C. & O. has posted bulletins all along its line, warning the public to watch out for the leper.

SUICIDE

Of a Lawrence County Woman Over in Ohio.

Circleville, Ohio, August 17.—Mrs. M. A. Burton committed suicide last night by taking morphine and carbolic acid. She posted a notice on her door, which read: People, look in the house; look in here. Children seeing the notice, called Night Chief Morgan, who entered and found her lifeless body in bed. She left a letter stating that her husband had taken her from a happy home, brought here and deserted her among strangers, without money.

She was the daughter of W. M. Calhoun, of Wilbur, Ky., and she asked that her remains be sent there. Her husband returned at 8 o'clock this morning. He said he left her yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock and told her he would return either that night or this morning. She had been married about three weeks.

The remains of Mrs. Burton arrived in Louisa Sunday via the N. & W. and were taken to Brushy for interment.

Wanderers.

An aggregation of men, women, horses, dogs and children halted a few hours on our streets Wednesday, coming from nowhere in particular and going anywhere in general. The eleven horses looked sleek, the seven children were fat, and the two women called themselves gypsies. The dogs? Just plain everyday dogs. Some of the horses were the latest things in equine head gear.

Fine Cattle.

Some of the finest cattle ever sold in this market were bought Wednesday by Burchett & Carter, cattle dealers. They bought 30 head, aggregating 21,955 pounds. They were young and fat and were shipped to Cincinnati via C. & O. railway.

JOHN W. LANGLEY

Nominated For Congress by the Republicans of the Tenth District.

The convention called to nominate a Republican candidate for Congress from the Tenth district met in Pikeville yesterday. Judge Becker, who used to say some of the most villainous things possible about the "Radicals," as he called them, was Chairman, and John W. Langley, of Floyd, was nominated on the 4th ballot.

John W. Cotton, of Blaine, and Martin Stepp, of McClure, enlisted in the United States army through the recruiting station at this place, and will be assigned to the Coast Artillery. They are fine, strong looking young fellows and will make good soldiers. Two young men were rejected on account of illiteracy. Applicants who can not read and write will not be accepted.

The State Sunday School Convention at Cliffside this week was a complete success. The attendance was large and the proceedings were most interesting. The sessions closed yesterday and were harmonious and important. The NEWS will have more to say concerning the Convention in a later issue.

A girl in Louisa got a proposal of marriage with the request that the answer be by telegram. She went to the telegraph office and asked Harry Wellman how many words she could send for a quarter. He said ten, and her answer was: "Yes, yes, yes, yes, yes, yes, yes, yes, yes."

The case of the Commonwealth vs. William Caldwell, charged with shooting and wounding with intent to kill the wounded man being Tucker Vanhorn, was called by Judge Thompson last Saturday. The defendant waived examination and was held on bond for his appearance at the next term of the Lawrence Circuit Court.

Prof. W. M. Byington is teaching the Martin county Institute this week. He will be in Louisa tomorrow to make arrangements for starting work on the new dormitory building.

Are Well Known Here.

The following from a Bath county paper will be of much interest to many Louisians, as the people named in the article have relatives here:

Lawyer Reuben Gudgeon and wife, of Owingsville, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage July 31. They were married by Rev. R. F. Caldwell July 3, 1856, at the residence of Dr. J. W. Rutherford, in Owingsville. Of those still surviving, who witnessed the marriage and participated in the marriage feast, are Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hill and Dr. J. W. Rutherford, of this town; Mrs. T. B. Smith, of Cynthia; Mrs. Mary Wherrett, of Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Mary Whaley, of Redlands, Cal.; and W. H. Daugherty, of Owingsville. Mr. Gudgeon's wife was Miss Elvessa Martin, and they two and Mr. Daugherty are the only survivors of the then residents of Owingsville. All who were then members of the Bath county bar have joined the silent majority.

Cutting at Ashland.

What came near resulting in a fatal tragedy was a cutting affray which occurred on the Ashland ferry float about 8:30 o'clock Tuesday night. As a result of the outrage Russell Ford, of Catlettsburg, lies at the King's Daughters' Hospital with five bad knife wounds in his breast, and Pearl Rardin, also of Catlettsburg, is at his home in the Gate City with two bad cuts in his right arm and one in his right leg. The knife wielder was Harry Breckenridge, an Ashland negro, who was employed as porter at Messersmith's saloon.

Messrs. Ford and Rardin, who are two of the most prominent and popular young men of Catlettsburg—always quiet and well behaved—were enroute across the river to attend the dance at Fairview Park, at the hour stated, when they became involved in a quarrel with some negroes on the ferry boat with the above mentioned serious results.—Independent.

The Handle Factory.

This new industry for Louisa will soon be an accomplished fact. The site has been secured and much of the machinery is on its way. Hickory timber has been contracted for, much of it within hauling distance, and it will soon be on the ground. The site upon which the mill will be built is part of what is known as the DeRossett property, adjoining the railway and easily accessible.

This latest industrial enterprise will be a great thing for Louisa. It will give steady employment to at least 15 men, men who will use their earnings in our town, and it will be permanent. Let us give all possible encouragement to this and all other concerns of similar character. They are the life of any place favored by their presence.

Another able instructor who has been secured for our college is Mr. John H. Ekers, one of the foremost teachers in the Sandy Valley. Aside from his professional ability he is very popular with our young people because of his genial manner, and popularity of this sort is a wonderful factor for good in the general make-up of a teacher. Mr. Ekers will move to this city as soon as the necessary arrangements can be effected.

HOME-COMING OF W. J. BRYAN.

New York City, Aug. 30, 1906. Excursion Rates Via C. & O. Railway.

One fare plus \$2.00, on sale at principal coupon agencies August 28 and 29 via rail, and August 27 and 28 via Old Dominion Steamship Co., good to return leaving New York until Sept. 4, 1906. Stopovers returning permitted at Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington via rail, and at Norfolk and Old Point Comfort via Steamer, within final limit.

The Big Sandy Produce Co., composed of C. Frank Millender and Geo. Ellis, have rented a building of M. S. Burns near the Louisa Produce Co. rooms, and will be ready for business by Sept. 1st. They will buy fruits and vegetables and some poultry and eggs.

Mrs. B. J. Chaffin has bought of Robert Sturgill the property on 1st avenue occupied by James Kinster. The purchase price was \$1000.

PERT PARAGRAPHS

Picked Up At Pike, Paint and Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Belle Johns-McClelland is the charming guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. J. Johnson.

Judge J. M. Roberson was thrown by a mule on Peter creek Monday and sustained painful, though not serious, injuries.

We want to sound a note of warning to the people of Paintsville. This town is going to be visited by a disastrous fire. No town of its size is so unfortunately situated in this respect. We are without protection from fire. At least half the kitchen flues in town are dangerous.—Herald.

Wayne Cooper, a merchant of Salyersville, Magoffin county, son of A. P. Cooper, the eminent lawyer and veteran temperance advocate, and the nephew of Judge J. E. Cooper, of Mt. Sterling, late candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress, is the announced anti-license Prohibition candidate for Congress in the Tenth District.

A sensational \$10,000 slander damage suit was filed late Saturday in the Johnson Circuit Court. The plaintiff in the suit is Harry Howes, the merchant, and the defendant is Mrs. Mrs. Martha Jane Stafford-Davis. The filing of the suit is the result of certain statements alleged to have been made by the defendant in regard to the testimony given by Howes in a case he had against the estate of her late husband, W. D. Stafford.

Mrs. Wash Howard, the old lady whom Grover Cantrill shot two years ago, died from the effects of the wound at her home on Pigeon creek, Johnson county, Friday. She was a great sufferer and death was a relief to her. About six months ago she was taken to Ashland and an operation was performed but it did not relieve the suffering. Cantrill was indicted and a short time ago Dan Price arrested him in the coal fields, of West Virginia.

A telephone message received at Prestonsburg states that Fred Newsom, son of Jack Newsom, who was shot by Bert T. Hamilton, on Big Mud creek, last Saturday, is dead. Hamilton served two years in the penitentiary for the killing of Bill Hall, on Beaver, and only been out of the pen a little over six months. We did not learn the particulars of the killing of Newsom. Hamilton is badly cut, and his recovery doubtful.

Mrs. Grace Litteral, widow of the late Prof. W. H. Litteral, died at her home in Paintsville at an early hour Monday morning. Her death follows that of her husband but a few days. Mrs. Litteral contracted typhoid fever while nursing her husband, and she was forced to take her bed before her husband died. Her sister, Miss Edna Ward, is, as reported to us, at the point of death, at her home near Inez, and cannot recover. She, too, contracted typhoid while assisting in nursing Prof. Litteral. Mrs. Litteral's remains were taken to Inez for burial Monday.

Last Thursday one entire string of supports beneath the mammoth fronted building of the Pikeville Gravel Company, at Pikeville, sank with a crash, leaving the roof supports hanging between earth and sky, with a good portion of the roof caved in. The crash was due to the excessive weight on the floor, and the fact that the brick foundations were not of ample strength to withstand the strain. The trouble to the management, and the damage was considerable, and the repairs are being rapidly made.

An important real estate and coal deal was consummated Friday when the Muddy Branch Coal Company disposed of their holdings at the mouth of Muddy Branch to the East Kentucky Coal Co., for the handsome sum of \$30,000. A. D. W. Smith, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., at the head of the East Kentucky Coal Company, and who engineered the deal for the acquisition of the new property, says that the company will at once commence another dipple with up-to-date mining machinery which means that the mines will be worked to the limit, more than doubling their present capacity.

Senator M. G. Watson.

The Lawrence County Democratic Convention which will meet here next Tuesday to send delegates to the District Convention which meets in Maysville September 1, will have one pleasant duty and will perform it. The Democrats of this county have but one choice of a candidate to represent them in Congress, and that is Dr. M. G. Watson, the present able Senator from this district. He and his services to his party and his State are too well known to require any commendation from this paper. It is enough to say that the convention delegates should be instructed to cast the vote of Lawrence for Dr. Watson, and to vote for him so long as his name is before the District Convention.

FALLSBURG.

There has been so much rain around here lately and everything and everybody came so near being washed away that nobody seems to think or talk about anything else, and the terrible damage done by the washouts is not confined to this locality. Last Thursday the branch that runs into Blaine from towards Horseford took a sudden raise and washed out fences and got up into houses, and the women and children got frightened, and there was a good deal of damage done on Horseford and on Fullers and Hewlett branches, but the worst washout came on Sunday. On Fullers branch the water raised so high that almost everything was swept away. Charley Carter, who was visiting Samuel Skeens, had come there in a nice buggy, which was left standing near the branch, and when the rain came the buggy was washed away down the branch and all torn in pieces.

The news from Newcomb and Rove creek of last Thursday's floods is that schoolhouses were moved off their foundations and their fences torn away and corn crops on low land destroyed.

Jack Thompson, the school teacher on Hewlett branch, didn't have any school Monday on account of the deaf and burial of Mr. Atkins, who was Asberry Waller's son-in-law, who got killed on the train in a tunnel.

The Fallsburg baseball team has again raised its record by taking a game from Seedick last Saturday. They are going to usseyville to play a game next Saturday.

The high water has washed all the bridges out on Fullers branch.

Mrs. J. A. Collingsworth and Mrs. Mary Frasher were visiting on Blaine Sunday.

Dr. Olar's folks, from Indiana, are visiting O. S. Loar. U. E. S.

TWIN BRANCH.

There will be church at Midway Sunday by Bro. T. H. Lorge.

We are glad to say that our Sunday School is still progressing nicely with good attendance.

Miss Cleve Carter left Monday for West Virginia to stay with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Kitchen, who is in very bad health.

Church was largely attended at Midway last Saturday and Sunday. It was Bro. Ragan's last sermon with us. He will be greatly missed.

Misses Lillie Burton and Myrtle Carter were the pleasant guests of Pearl Hughes Saturday.

W. M. Crabtree, our constable, went to Irish creek Tuesday on business.

B. F. Carter was on our creek Tuesday.

Kay Chaffin was in our midst Sunday.

Miss Isabelle Hicks, of Hicksville, called at John Hughes' Sunday.

Eskel Wright is staying with his sister, Mrs. Ella Crabtree.

We are glad to say that Wertle Barton is teaching a good school at Midway.

John Hughes went to Louisa Monday on legal business.

Kay Adams passed down our creek Sunday.

A Country Girl.

INSURANCE PARTNERSHIP.

The undersigned have this day formed a partnership for the purpose of engaging in the Fire Insurance business with office at Louisa, Ky., and the business of the public is solicited, which shall have prompt and careful attention.

This Aug. 17th, 1906.

SNYDER & BICKEL.
Augustus Snyder,
R. A. Bickel.

Mrs. Ernest R. Tawney, of St. Louis, formerly Miss Bessie McCoy, of Greenup, Ky., is missing from her home.

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FRIDAY, August 24, 1906.

Congressman Ollie M. James announced that he would not enter the race for the Democratic nomination for Governor.

Representative Joseph Rhinock was declared the Congressional nominee of the Democrats of the Sixth district by the committee.

Hon. R. K. Hurt has announced himself a candidate for Congress in the Ninth district and will make an active campaign for the instructions of his county. This makes two candidates for Congress from Fleming.

The man who "makes up" the columns of the Courier Journal must use a queer brand of O-be-joyful to cause him to put some pathetic lines on the death of a child into his "On the Funny Bone" column.

"Bob" Etheridge, a negro, who attempted a criminal assault on the daughter of T. H. West, a farmer, in Saluda county, S. C., Thursday, was shot to death Monday night at the scene of his crime.

The Ashland Independent and the Eagle-Herald are trying to decide which paper contains the more mistakes, typographical and otherwise. Dwellers in conservatories should not wait dornicks.

Harrison Alexander, a negro, charged with criminal assault on a white woman, was given the death penalty by a jury at Greenville, Monday, at a special term of court called to try him. He will be executed on September 27.

County Judge Hazelrigg, of Montgomery county, Ky., held the Cummack local option law to be illegal. He ordered two elections to be held on September 19, at which the question of local option will be voted upon. Temperance advocates and saloonkeepers asked for elections, which accounts for two being ordered.

The victory in the Eleventh Congressional district for the Hon. D. C. Edwards for Congress seems to have no little significance with the voters of this part of the country as to the advisability of the Republicans of Kentucky making him the standard of the party in the race for Governor in the campaign of 1907.

According to a statement issued by Thomas P. Cleaves and James C. Courts, Chief Clerk respectively of the Senate and House Committees on Appropriations, Congress at its last session appropriated for the fiscal year 1907 nearly a billion dollars. The exact amount is \$879,589,185.16, representing an increase of \$59,404,550.20 over the sum appropriated the last session of the Fifty-eighth Congress for 1906. The largest item is contained in the appropriation for the Postoffice Department, the amount allotted being \$191,695,998.75. The next largest sum was given for pensions, the money appropriated amounting to \$140,245,500, or nearly twice as much as was allowed for the support of the army and over forty millions more than was granted for the naval establishment.

Hammocks, croquet sets, and baseball goods at Conley's.

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Then it's time to act! No time to study, to read, to experiment! You want to save your hair, and save it quickly, too! So make up your mind this very minute that if your hair ever comes out you will use Ayer's Hair Vigor. It makes the scalp healthy. The hair stays in. It cannot do anything else. It's nature's way.

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Senator James B. McCreary formally opened his campaign for re-election in a speech to a crowd of about 1,300 people at Henderson.

It is expected that there will soon be another vacancy on the Supreme bench of the United States, through the retirement of Associate Justice John Marshall Harlan. Justice Harlan was seventy-three years old on June 1 last, and he has been on the bench of the Supreme Court of the United States for twenty-nine years, having been appointed by President Hayes in 1877.

TUSCOLA.

The recent heavy rains have done so much damage to roads here that farmers cannot get to market with their surplus crops till they are repaired. The roads are conceded to be in the worst condition they have been in for years.

Born to the wife of James Miller, a big boy. Jim says he can whistle fifty per cent better than he could.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Giles died last week of summer complaint, making the second victim of that dread disease within the last few weeks.

Cyrus Webb, who has been confined to his room the past two weeks, is improved.

Mrs. L. D. McCormack is reported to be very sick.

Arthur Jordan, son of Calvin Jordan, has typhoid fever. He is a very sick boy.

Miss Lella Towler, of Keturah, is reported to be very sick.

Four of Dave Lyons' family have typhoid fever in its worst form.

Abe Watson has gone to northern Mississippi, where he will teach this year. He taught there last year. Rev. Martin Casto preached a very interesting sermon at Olivette Sunday.

The Olivette Sunday School is in a flourishing condition, good attendance, good interest, plenty of literature and a good surplus in the treasury.

Mrs. Frasher, of Potter, spent last week with her son John here.

Misses Ollie Jordan and Stella Cunningham were guests of Misses Edna and Bertha Towler Sunday.

Wm. Bralnard came home from Floyd last week, returning Monday. His wife went back with him and stayed a few days.

H. S. Dean, of Louisa, was here last week looking after insurance.

We are informed that the store at Marvin will soon change hands.

Buck Jordan went to Glenwood Saturday night. XX.

BUCHANAN.

Mrs. Sadie York and two little daughters, of Pollard, are visiting at O. H. Kinner's.

Rev. Abrams, of Cassville, was a visitor at Ezra Hattens, Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Hatten is attending the State Sunday School Convention at Cliffside Park. She is being entertained at the house of W. Coverson.

Mrs. Geo. Williamson and daughter have gone to Cincinnati to spend a week with her husband, who is working there.

Miss Caille Strother has returned to her home at Coal Grove, after a pleasant visit here.

Miss Maggie McSorley, of Kavanagh, and Martin Frasher, of W. Va., were married Thursday. Soon after the ceremony they left for Lynchburg, Va., where he has work.

R. E. McClung, the popular photographer of Catlettsburg, spent Saturday night with Dr. McWarren.

Mr. and Mrs. G. West and son Frank of Jellico, Tenn., are visiting J. B. Compton's family.

Byers York, of Columbus, a former Buchanan boy, was here over Sunday.

S. G. Compton, who has been quite sick at his parents home here, was able to go to his home at Chapman Tuesday.

A Vanetter boy, age 16 years, died at his home on Rush creek near here Saturday of typhoid fever. Three other members of the family have typhoid.

J. W. Bostick, of Terre Haute, Ind., is mingling with old friends here, after an absence of more than two years.

A six year old girl of Henry Canteberry was drowned in Rove creek during the hard rain Wednesday. The child's mother was at a neighbors house and it became frightened at the storm and started out to find her mother and is supposed to have fallen off the walk log. After an all night search the little body was found about a mile below the log, washed against a fence.

FARM FOR SALE.

120 acres, 12 acres level, 25 acres cleared. 2 dwelling houses of 3 rooms each, store house of good size. Good well, never goes dry. Good orchard, apples, peaches and pears. 2 miles from railroad, 1/4 mile from school house. Farm also has good coal which is opened. Will sell for cash. Price \$1500. Apply to Big Sandy News.

See those new shirt waist sets at Conley's store.

MARVIN.

The big rain last Thursday left our roads in a bad shape, and did lots of damage to the farmers.

There are several cases of fever in our community, Willard Lyons being the worst.

Our school is progressing nicely with large attendance and Gypsy Compton teacher.

We learn that W. H. Moore is going to sell out. He is a good merchant and will be greatly missed.

Jim and John Compton have returned home from Mahan, W. Va., where they have been engaged in a timber job for the last three months.

Mrs. David Foster and daughters attended church at Midway Sunday.

Frank and Grover Thompson, of East Fork, were on our creek last Saturday.

If all reports are true the farmers will not plant any more watermelons and pumpkins inside of the high water mark.

The infant child of Dave Kitchen is very sick.

Marie Compton was the guest of Dora Roberts last Sunday.

John Kitchen is hauling crossties from here to Louisa.

Oath Burchett, of Deep Hole, was on Catt last Friday.

Martha Moore was visiting relatives at Irad last week and was accompanied home by her cousin, Willie Berry.

Grover Bradley was among friends on Catt last Sunday.

We were sorry to hear of the death of little Willie Christen. Willie was a bright little boy and will be sadly missed by his many friends.

He was laid to rest in the family graveyard beside his mother, who had preceded him to the glory land. We can only say to the bereaved father and sister, weep not, for little Willie is at rest. God said suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven. Let us prepare to meet him.

Topsy Turvy.

VESSIE.

We are glad to say that our crops are looking very promising in this neighborhood.

Miss Stella Cunningham, of Olivette, was the guest of Misses Edna and Bertha Fowler Sunday.

Tonie Miller, who has been confined to his bed with typhoid fever, is able to be out again.

J. H. Woods sold G. W. Calvin a fine drove of cattle last week.

C. Miller, our bustling merchant, says he will bring on a full line of fall goods in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arthur, of Catlettsburg, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Miller Sunday.

Mrs. Tobe French was visiting her parents at Fallsburg Sunday.

Our school is progressing nicely at McDaniel with J. H. Frasher teacher. J. S. Riffe, our deputy sheriff, was walking some of the boys around last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Fowler, of this place, visited their parents at Coalton last week. Kit.

YATESVILLE.

Bro. Talbot will preach his last sermon at this place first Sunday in next month. We are sorry to lose him.

Willis Roberts passed through here with a fine drove of cattle last week.

G. J. Carter is over-hauling his house which is a great help to his place.

Tom Hays was visiting home folks at Blaine Thursday.

Mr. Valdie Diamond and family, of Buchanan, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

Abbott Jordan has returned from Columbus, where he has a position with the brick layers.

We are sorry to say that James Nelson is no better.

Anolphia Carter and Jay Short will leave soon for Pacific Grove, Cal. We are sorry to lose them, but wish them great success.

Miss Alta Lakins has been quite sick for a few days.

Milt Carter and Jimson Skeens were calling on the Misses Conley.

Ira Short and Mike Conley left for Bowling Green College Monday, where they expect to complete a course in shorthand and typewriting.

Sam Diamond, of Deephole, passed through here Sunday. Cricket.

Once More to Correspondents.

If you want your letters to see the light through the NEWS you must sign your true name every time. A letter from Cadmus and one from Torchlight were consigned to the tomb this week because we have no possible means of knowing their authors. We appreciate your kindness, but for self-protection the name must accompany every letter. Please let this suffice.

FOR SALE.

20-horse power boiler and engine on wheels, made by Geyser Mfg. Co. Good as new, with new saw-mill.

Terms and prices very reasonable. MONT HOLT, Louisa, Ky.

Wants and For Sale.

Until further notice subscribers to the BIG SANDY NEWS will be given free use of this column for one insertion of any unobjectionable advertisement of a "Want" or "For Sale." For instance, a farmer wanting to buy a horse, cow, hog, farm, etc., or having anything for sale, may insert free of cost one time an ad not exceeding 25 words. The same person may advertise different things from time to time under this offer, but the same ad. will not be repeated free. If desired repeated, the cost will be one-half a cent per word for each additional insertion.

Advertisements containing more than 25 words, will cost one cent for each word above that number.

For other people the rate is 15 words or less 1 time for 10c. Each additional word, half a cent. Additional insertions, half a cent per word.

Two five-room houses in Louisa for sale. Apply at NEWS office.

House in Louisa for rent. Five rooms, newly papered and painted. Apply at this office.

Town lots for sale. Further information at this office.

Bicycle for sale. Suitable for lady or gent. Cost \$52 new. Used very little. Price \$15. NEWS office.

MULE FOR SALE. Four years old, large, good condition, good worker. Worth \$150. Will take less. Apply to Virgie Prose, Henrietta, Johnson county, Ky.

FOR SALE. Fat 3-yr. old heifer; dehorned, red and white pied; weighs about 550 lbs. For price apply to G. M. Salmons, Felix, W. Va.

If you have anything to sell there is somebody somewhere who wants to buy it. Same way if you want to buy something. Try an ad. in this column. It brings buyers and sellers together.

Cincinnati Markets.

CATTLE:

Good to choice 4.40 to 5.35
Common to fair 2.50 to 4.35
Heifers, good to choice 3.75 to 4.40
Common to fair 2.00 to 3.25
Cows, good to choice 2.75 to 3.40

CALVES:

Fair to good 5.00 to 6.25

HOGS:

Good to choice packers 5.60 to 6.20
Stags 3.25 to 4.10

SHEEP:

Good to choice 2.75 to 4.75
Common to fair 2.00 to 2.40

"THE BIG STORE"

Offers unequalled opportunities to those desiring the latest styles in Ladies', Misses' and Childrens'

Ready-to-wear Garments,

Dry Goods, Notions, Millinery, etc.

Our stock and assortments are unsurpassed in the territory. As to our prices, we are the front door to economic buying and this store is always a real tonic to overworked pocket-books.

Mail Orders Receive Prompt Attention.

Valentine & Newcomb,

Huntington, W. Va.

Extra Special.



\$4.50

Waltham or
Elgin Movement

IN SILVERINE CASE COMPLETE FOR

\$4.50.

This is the same grade of watch that some dealers offer as a great bargain at \$5.00. Those wanting this kind should buy at once.

All other grades at proportionately low prices.

Conley's Store.

Louisa,

Kentucky.

No Name Hats.



MADE BY
STETSON.

Take a Look at Our Windows.

We have the largest stock of

HATS

EVER BROUGHT TO THIS CITY.



Come in and Take a Look.

BROMLEY BROS., The Twins.

LOUISA,

KENTUCKY.

Big Sandy News

FRIDAY, August 24, 1906.



Hold a broken down fox: "I have spent every dollar I had" and he went to a wealthy old skunk for the loan of a plunk. But the skunk wouldn't lend him a cent. —New York Times.

MEDICAL LIMECKICKS.

A certain young man of great gumption thought cannibals had the presumption. To go—but alas, he never came back. They say 'twas a case of consumption. —Yale Record.

Insure with Wallace. Life, Fire, Accident, etc. Office near depot.

Apple Peelers at Sullivan's.

M. S. Burns is having his residence painted.

Sorghum strainers and measures at Sullivan's.

Mrs. William Caperton has been very sick.

Mrs. Rebecca Lewis has been quite sick several days.

Red Hot 10c Bargains. Pierce & Derrick.

Born, Monday to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Burns, a girl—Caroline.

Charley Abbott, who is sick with pneumonia, is reported better.

Attorney John Montague, of Catlettsburg, had professional business in this city Saturday.

John Jones and daughter, of Louisa, are spending a few days with Mrs. Emily Medley.—Ind.

A. Hale was appointed Postmaster at Orchard, Magoffin county, Ky. Vice Samuel Hale, Jr., removed.

George Waldeck has enlisted in the U. S. Army and gone to Columbus. He will be assigned to the Coast Artillery.

"Old Kentucky Home" hat pins in sterling silver are the newest things and very pretty. At Conley's store for 50 cents.

The Louisa and the Ashland baseball clubs came together on the Louisa grounds last Friday. Score, Louisa 5; Ashland 4.

Thos. McClure, of Wolf creek, was in Louisa Wednesday. He reports the successful floating of 17 rafts of his timber out of his creek.

Holt Bros. have rented an office room on the second floor of the Louisa National Bank building. They are in the machinery business.

The bridge across the branch near the slaughter house, washed off by a flood some weeks ago, has been replaced by a substantial one of concrete.

The Racket Store has just received a new line of Shirt Waists for Misses and Ladies. Also Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hats.

Miss Lillie McHenry, the efficient "help" in the postoffice, is taking a well-earned rest of a couple of weeks. Mrs. Wade is Miss McHenry's capable substitute.

John J. Mann, of Fallsburg, has been elected Grand Sir Herald of the Knights of the Golden Eagle. The next session of the Grand Lodge will be held in Ashland.

Mrs. Hannah Lackey entertained very pleasantly last Monday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Florence Brown, of Catlettsburg. It was the anniversary of the young lady's birth.

The next term of the Lawrence Circuit Court will begin Monday, Sept. 3. This is under the new order of things and all interested will do well to take notice and be governed accordingly.

At Torchlight last Sunday Miss Mary Abshire was married to Frank Vermillion. The wedding occurred at the residence of the bride's parents and the couple will reside near Charleston, W. Va.

NOTED FOR U. S. ARMY:—Able unmarried men between ages 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, Main Street, Louisa, Ky.

Tin Cans at Sullivan's.

Flour, all grades, at Sullivan's.

We are glad to note the recovery of Mrs. Garrett Nash from a recent sickness.

The condition of Mrs. Carl Reynolds, sick with typhoid in Huntington, is much improved.

Wm. Wallen, of Prestonsburg, has rented a house from C. M. Crutcher and will move his family to Louisa.

Miss Laura Compton, a very capable operator and worthy young lady, is in temporary charge of the Louisa railway depot.

NOTICE.

There will be an ice cream supper at the Busseyville Church Saturday night, August 25. Everybody invited.

Among those from Louisa who attended the big Sunday School Convention at Clyffside were: Mrs. Tom Hatcher, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Burns, Misses Belle and Martha Vaughan and Thomas Luther.

SAWMILL MACHINERY.

For easy and rapid cutting our mills are unsurpassed. Prices reasonable. Terms to suit purchaser.

MONT HOLT, Louisa, Ky.

Special Prices on White Goods, Linen Waists, Misses' and Ladies' Skirts, Muslin Underwear of every description and at wonderfully low figures, at Racket Store.

FESTIVAL ON LITTLE BLAINE.

An ice cream festival will be given at the Adams School on Little Blaine on Saturday evening, Sept. 1st, at 6:30 o'clock. Everybody invited.

MULES FOR SALE.

Span of mules, weight 1500 lbs., 8 years old. Will sell cheap for cash, but good note preferred. Apply to ROBERT DIXON.

Ten applicants for teacher's certificates were up for examination last week and ten were successful. John H. Ekers was examined for a State certificate which will no doubt be granted.

The last quarterly meeting for this Conference year, M. E. Church South, was held here last Sunday. Rev. S. A. Donahoe having been Preiding Elder of this district four years is barred by limitation from further official services here.

A special session of the Fiscal Court of Lawrence county is called to meet the 10th day of September, 1906, at 1 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of considering the rebuilding or repairing of the Jim Lackey bridge or making a fill for same.

T. S. THOMPSON, J. L. C. C.

WANTED: School, having new, attractive proposition, wishes energetic man or woman to visit towns in Kentucky. Good salary and expenses paid weekly. Some knowledge of music preferred, but not essential.

J. H. MOORE, Plymouth Place, Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons—we may say of Louisa, for Mr. Lyons votes here—were at Mrs. Ella Hays' several days lately. They were married only two months ago, he finding his very pleasant and attractive wife in Berea. Mrs. Lyons is now at her former home, but the couple may decide to make this city their abode.

CADMUS.

We are having plenty of rain here and the farmers are busy repairing their fences washouts have destroyed.

We are having a good Sunday School at this place with C. W. Jones Supt.

Henry Marcum and J. M. Elkins made a business trip to Louisa Monday.

Myrtle Riffe called on Minnie Elkins Sunday.

Marion Wright attended Sunday School at Green Valley, Sunday.

Jim Compton has returned home from W. Va. where he has been at work.

Borp, to Harvie Carter and wife, on the 20th, a fine boy.

Heather Riffe and wife will leave for Holden soon, where they will make their home.

Tillie Elkins and little brother Jim were visiting the sick Monday.

Mrs. Georgia Holly, who has been very sick, we are sorry to say is no better.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Riffe were the guests of Mrs. Ekers Sunday.

Land Short attended the Children's Day at Twins Saturday.

Frank Kise was at Green Valley Sunday.

Lucy Elkins is visiting her aunt down on Cat. Honeysuckle.

WANTED.

50,000 Cross Ties 7x8x14. Price 52 cents each. 50,000 6x8x8; price 42 cents each. Delivered at Louisa, Ky. JAY H. NORTHUP.

PERSONALS.

Clarence Crutcher spent Sunday at home.

Miss Clara Bromley is visiting in Catlettsburg.

J. C. Adams has been in Cincinnati several days.

Miss Lou Vinson is visiting at Ferguson, W. Va.

Robert Sturgell had business in Louisa Tuesday.

Col. Ike Potter, Catalpa, was in Louisa Thursday.

Dr. A. P. Banfield, Buchanan, was here yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. O'Brien has been visiting at Lockwood.

John Conley is in Louisa, visiting relatives.—Ind.

Mrs. L. E. Herr, Lexington, is the guest of the Shipmans.

Jas. Hale, of Louisa, was a visitor in town today.—Ind.

Z. C. Vinson, of Catlettsburg, was in Louisa Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McClure, of Gallup, were here Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Dalton was a recent visitor to Louisa relatives.

Miss Emma Johnson, of Pikeville, is visiting Louisa relatives.

Mrs. Will Crutcher and children have returned to Holden.

Lieut. L. Halstead, Huntington, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida V. Watts, of Wayne, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. James Vinson.

William Houston made a business trip to Montgomery county last week.

John Salyer, wife and two children have been visiting friends in this city.

D. C. Spencer and family have for their guest, Mrs. Flippin, of Louisville.

Miss Hermia Marcum, of Ceredo, was here last week, the guest of relatives.

Mrs. M. A. Elam, of Ashland, has been visiting her father, Capt. O. D. Batner.

Harry Hatcher, of Pikeville, was an attracted visitor to Louisa last Sunday.

Miss Jean McClure has returned from a pleasant stay at Olympia Springs.

Miss Florence Brown, of Catlettsburg, was recently the guest of Louisa relatives.

Mrs. Dora Cook and Miss Maud Coyle have gone to visit friends in Owingsville.

Dr. F. D. Marcum, of Louisa, was a Park City caller over last night.—Independent.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace are attending the Sunday School Convention in Ashland.

Mrs. Will Wheaton, of Huntington, is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Abbott.

Miss Mattie Thomas, of Ironton, and Mrs. Charles Cooper, of Chicago, were recent guests of Mrs. Ben Thomas.

Dr. Hillman, of Glenwood, came up via N. & W. Wednesday, leaving the same afternoon for Ashland via C. & O.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rice came down from Louisa yesterday evening, and were the guests of relatives here over night.—Ind.

Mrs. Joe Rice and son James, who have been in Huntington and Charleston so long, are again in Louisa, guests of James Abbott. She will resume housekeeping here.

Mrs. A. H. Moore, of Ashland, and Prof. Victor Muncey, of Cincinnati, were here this week, visiting their mother in Smokey Valley.

The M. E. Church South.

Regular services as follows: (We use sun time.)

Prayer Meeting, each Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Sabbath School, each Sabbath at 9:30 a. m.

Preaching each Sabbath at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m.

You are cordially invited to attend all these services. Strangers in the town specially invited to worship with us. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good, for the Lord has spoken good concerning Israel."

O. F. Williams, Pastor.

Send your orders for rubber stamps to the Big Sandy News. Single line stamps not over three inches in length, 10c. Others in proportion.

Clothing and shoes.



We are ready to show you the best line of men's wearing apparel ever shown in the BIG SANDY VALLEY. Buying as we do for two stores enables us to get better values than the man who buys simply for one store. What is more, we have had years of experience in buying this line of goods and know a bargain when we see one. Before buying that next suit or pair of shoes look at our line. We are sure we can please you both in price and quality.

Men's Suits, \$4.00 and Up.

Men's Shoes, \$1.50 and Up.

It costs nothing to look.

Your Bridge Fare (For Self and Horse) paid on all Purchases of

ONE DOLLAR OR MORE.

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SPECIAL TEN CENT DEPARTMENT.

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BARGAIN LEADERS

THE FARM.

Story of My Nickels and Dimes.

(Continued from last week.)

My next attempt at saving my nickels and dimes was planned on a somewhat broader scale. I had been more than three years floundering around in the attempt of starting a bank account with my small savings, and now found myself with no nickels or dimes, but with a large stock of strong resolutions, and one strong sack which my banker gave me, and which was to play an important part in my future savings. This sack was my "standby." It was as strong as all "get out" and would hold more than a peck of potatoes or money, or anything else. My banker was very patient and almost every time I went to town I called for that sack and into it I chucked a handful of small change—nothing larger than a quarter. It looked like a very small sack from the outside, but when I would stand it up straight and smooth out all its folds, so that I could survey all the space that was inside, it looked like it would hold a barrel. It did not seem very long, and yet a number of years went before that sack was half full of money. But it did get half full and no mistake. Just why I kept it in the sack and did not put it on deposit with the bank, I am scarcely able to answer. I did without lots of things that I wanted pretty bad. I raked and scraped around lots of "odd hours," in order to keep the nickels and dimes dropping into that sack occasionally. I hope that none of my farmer boys, as they read these lines, will accuse me of being a miser or cultivating a miserly spirit or of trying to influence any of them to become misers.

As I look back across the more than ten years of my carefully saving and guarding my nickels and dimes, I am sure that the best sentiments of my life entered into and gave decided relish to the plan. I never for an instant wanted to hoard up these small coins just for the sake of having them and keeping them. I felt, from the day that I dropped the first nickel into the sack up until I counted the last one out, that I was putting them away for a good purpose and against a day when they might stand between me and someone who had the right and disposition to hold a financial club over my head.

I might say, in passing, that friends are the greatest blessing in this world. There are men who will stand by you and be loyal to you in storm as in sunshine. They will remain steadfast to you even though your skiff lodge upon the breakers or is stranded upon a sandbar. But it has been my personal observation that a few dollars to your credit in a good savings bank will not drive any of your friends away from you when you most need them. The man who grows strong and fat and rich so that he may spend his days in luxury and ease, to my mind, is the one that St. Peter will call last. But the man who husbands his strength and his intellect and his money so that he may reach out a helping hand to those who depend upon him, or need it most, is a credit and a blessing to all mankind. I have no objection to the boy taking out enough money to buy himself a suit of clothes. I do not find fault with the boy who wants to invest in a pig or a sheep or a calf, making inroads upon his savings account. I know one boy who drew from the bank his last ten dollars to keep the sewing machine agent from reclaiming his mother's machine. These are matters that all boys must settle for themselves, and as a rule sensible boys will settle them right. But there is a form of investment that I want to caution all my farmer boys against: The "get-rich-quick" schemes are so common, so alluring and so bad, that I want our boys to shun them as they would poison. In the first place, "the other fellow" and not you is the one who always makes the big stake. In the second place, the money that comes by a happy stroke of fortune usually goes as easily as it came, and leaves you poorer in every way. Boys, if you do not heed more than one thing, I say to you, be sure to remember that true happiness and true wealth cannot be gotten except by honest, earnest toil. There is no royal to either.

I had many temptations during those years to go into the sack and take out \$50 or \$100 for this thing or that, and one day I so well remember, because it was one of my best friends who had a tip on a sure thing in gold mining, and if I would "buy quick" I could get in for just \$250. There was just about a quart of nickels and dimes in the sack by that time, and as my friend put it, "we had both worked pretty hard and here was our chance to make a little easy money."

It's no difference about the balance of our conversation, but when the bottom fell out of that western mine-

my quart of nickels and dimes, that represented lots of care and patience, was safe in the big sack down at the bank.

I merely mention these items in passing to show you that it's no easy matter to lay aside your small savings and keep your fingers off them. If you are looking for something easy don't start a savings account. But if you want to drill yourself in a good habit; if you want to undertake a fascinating, elevating campaign along praiseworthy lines, and are determined to lay aside a little part of your income, even though you have to go barefooted to do it, I commend to you a system of small savings. The way these dimes and nickels will accumulate will surprise you. Every one you put away is just that much insurance against money bothers. I often planned what I would do with my sack of savings, and as is so often the case I did not do what I had planned to do at all. I fully expected to get the big sack filled clear to the top before I should count a cent from it—even though it should take ten years to accomplish it. But lots of things happen that we never counted on, and especially is this true in money matters. The time came that a note which bore my name fell due and I tried every way to settle that note without molesting the strong sack in the bank. It seemed most a shame that I must wipe out with one fell swoop the accumulations of nickels and dimes that I had been so many years in saving. That note looked very homely to me as I surveyed it for the last time. But it was a great accommodation to me when I borrowed the money on the note and my father used to tell me that borrowing money often made fast friends but that paying it back sometimes lessened that friendship. The note was of my own making and was just and right, and I did not propose to make a wry face about it.

I have always tried to meet my obligations, both moral and financial, with my best energy and ability, so going down to the National Bank, I took that sack by the two bottom corners and dumped its contents out on the table. The cashier and assistant cashier helped me count it, and when I had paid that six hundred and fifty dollar note I had just fourteen dollars in nickels and dimes left.—Will B. Otwell, in Otwell's Farmer Boy.

Cyclones and Anticyclones.

(Concluded.)

On the same side of the equator, whirls of the same kind (cyclones for instance) always turn or rotate around their centers in the same direction. In our Northern Hemisphere the direction of the inward and upward spiral movement of the air circulating around a cyclone is always opposite to the direction of the movement of the hands of a watch or clock as it lies face upward, that is to say, counterclockwise. In the Southern Hemisphere, the whirling movement of cyclones is with the hands of a watch, or clockwise.

Anticyclones, contrary to cyclones in other respects, are also contrary to them in the matter of the direction of whirling. Anticyclones rotate clockwise in the Northern Hemisphere, and counterclockwise in the Southern Hemisphere. Of course there is a reason for this rule about the direction of whirling, and that is that the direction of the whirl is given to it by the direction of the whirling of the earth rotating on its axis.

If you have a stationary washbowl with an outlet at the bottom, or even a large round bottle turned upside down, you can make whirlpools for study by filling the bowl or bottle with water, and then when you pull out the stopper the water will start whirling around.

The broad aerial stream that is generally flowing from west to east over the United States apparently carries cyclones and anticyclones along with it very much as the brook or river carries along its whirlpools. It is this succession of "highs and lows" with their opposite kinds of weather and wind that brings us our frequent changes from rainy to clear, warm to cold, and south wind to north wind.

The word cyclone belongs to the very large whirls in the atmosphere that I have described. There are other smaller atmospheric whirls that have special names; these are the hurricane, typhoon, tornado and waterspout. I wish especially to make very clear to you the difference between a cyclone and a tornado, because many people use the word cyclone when they mean tornado, and when others use the word cyclone properly they are not understood.

The word cyclone was first used about the year 1840 as a name for very large whirling storms, sometimes as much as five hundred miles across, that occur in the Bay of Bengal and the Indian Ocean. Storms like these also occur in the West Indies, south and southeast of the United States, where they were nam-

ed hurricanes by the Caribbean Indians who inhabited the islands of the West Indies when they were discovered by Europeans, and the name was adopted by the early Spanish and Portuguese navigators and has been used ever since. Storms of the same kind occur in the Philippines and on the Chinese coast, where they have been called typhoons from ancient times.

The name cyclone was invented to describe the whirling character of these large whirlwinds that Englishmen found in India. It was brought home to England by them, and the large whirling masses of air that are carried along from west to east are called cyclones, and now the word cyclone belongs properly to large whirlwinds two or three thousand miles in diameter.

The word tornado is a Spanish word meaning "twister" and is applied to the dangerous whirlwinds that tear down houses and kill people. They are very small compared with the hurricane and cyclone, being generally less than half a mile in diameter and are rarely carried more than forty or fifty miles, and do not last altogether more than an hour or so before they die away and disappear. They take only a few seconds to pass over any given point. Cyclones and hurricanes travel for many days and go thousands of miles and take from a day to three or four days to pass over a place. It is evident, then, that the cyclone and the tornado are two very different things, their similarity being that they are both whirling masses of air. The house cat and the tiger are alike in more respects, but there is no one who would call a cat a tiger, so the tornado should not be called a cyclone.—E. R. M.

Wilson on Free Alcohol.

Secretary Wilson has this to say of the new alcohol law going into effect January 1st next:

"The free alcohol law will work out a revolution in the end. I know some are seeking to discredit that law, but the world will know its benefits in due time. There are 150 gallons of alcohol in every acre of corn of good quality and almost as much more in the stalks that are now allowed to rot on the farms. The process of extracting the alcohol and denaturizing it is cheap and simple. In Germany the prices run from 12 to 18 cents a gallon, I believe. We can probably make it as cheaply in this country, for while our labor is higher than in Germany, our land is cheaper. With 300 gallons of alcohol on every acre, why send to the mountains of Pennsylvania for fuel? Alcohol can be used for lighting purposes, for heating and for power. It is used for all those purposes in Germany, and we can do as well as the Germans do. It will work a revolution, and do not let any one persuade you to the contrary. I would not be surprised in due time to see a denaturized alcohol factory in every township in Iowa. My department is going to bring over some larger potatoes from the old countries. There are potatoes which will grow 500 bushels to the acre. They are used in those countries for stock foods. They are not fit for the table, but they will produce the starch and the alcohol. But we shall not be dependent on new crops. Throughout the South there are enormous quantities of fruits and vegetables that go to waste. Some day they will be converted into heat, light and fuel."—Chicago Chronicle.

To All Democratic Voters.

If there ever was a time in the history of the Democratic party for the manifestation of loyalty and patriotism on the part of its members, it is right now.

If we are to win a victory and elect a President two years hence, we must first elect a House of Representatives this fall. A Democratic House can and will investigate every department of the Government. With all of them honeycombed by "graft," the edges of which only have been touched by recent exposure and prosecutions, there will be a revelation of rottenness that will arouse the country, and create a demand for a Democratic administration to clean the Government workshop.

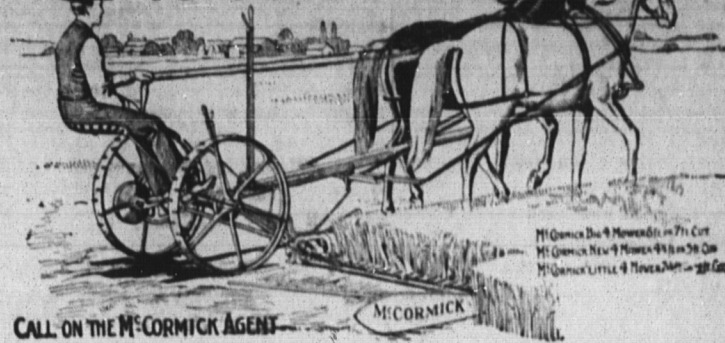
To win the House we need money to defray legitimate expenses and to defray legitimate expenses and get out our vote. We have no protected monopolies from which to draw to fill our coffers, as they do those of the Republican party. We must, therefore, appeal to loyal Democrats for contributions.

Will you send us \$1.00 at once, and in return for this we will send you copies of our campaign literature issued by the Committee. You will have the thanks of the entire Democratic party for your favorable response to our request.

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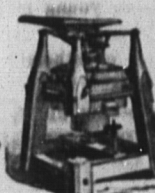
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Louisa, - - - Kentucky.

Coffins Delivered in Country.

People living in the country may order coffins or caskets from us by telephone or otherwise and we will deliver them at very small cost. We have a team that we can send out at any time and the expense will be slight.

Snyder Hardware Company,
Louisa, Ky.
Ladies, see those new shirt waist sets at Conley's store. They are beauties.

Feathers and Quills Wanted

We buy all kinds of

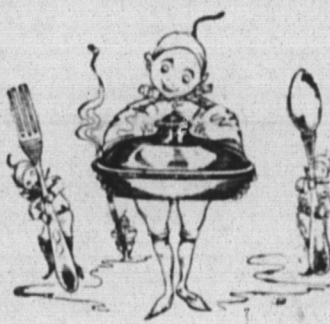
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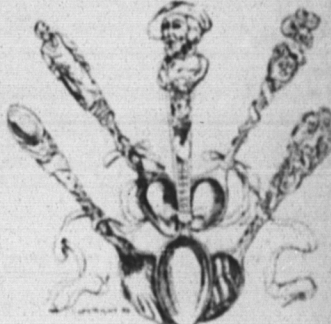
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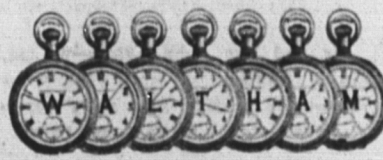
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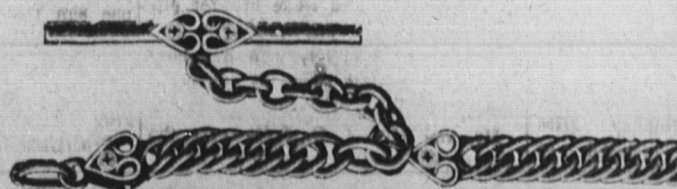
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JEAN AUDLEY.

"Woman of Mystery" Tells of Her Many Adventures.

Jean Audley, the remarkable woman of the pony, the dogs and the camp outfit, who puzzled parts of Kentucky and Southern Indiana for weeks, and who for two weeks was detained in the county poorhouse near Corydon, Ind., has gone with her pony and dogs and camp outfit back toward her home on the Texas prairies. Questions as to who she is, where she came from and what prompted her to endure the hardships of the nomadic life she led sprang to the lips of all who came in contact with the mysterious woman, and have remained unanswered until now.

She tells of a happy girlhood on her father's ranch in Texas; of birth and breeding and development to womanhood among the cattlemen on the plains. She tells of long horseback rides, the last from Texas to New York, where her mother is buried, and of the return trip on which a younger sister was foully murdered in the Cumberland mountains; of her return with her sister's body to New York and her resumption of the journey home. It was on that journey that she came into Kentucky, crossed into Indiana and was detained by authorities on their suspicion that she was insane.

She is of small stature, with brown hair and is blue-eyed. She would be fair, except for the bronze on her skin from the sun and weather. Her movements are quick and agile, and she mounts her pony with the dexterity of a boy. Intelligence is plainly stamped on her countenance and her gentle and courteous manner speak of refining influences. On her nomadic journeys she carries a few cooking utensils strapped to her saddle which serves as a pillow at night. For protection she depends on her many dogs. She had only a small amount of money when taken into the poorhouse, but declared that she was not a pauper and demanded her release from the asylum.

On Wednesday, the day before she resumed her journey, the reporter sat and her seated on a couch in her room at the poorhouse. She was surrounded with admiration a pair of new white slippers which she had in her hand.

STORY WOULD "FILL A BOOK"

"The story of my life would fill a book of many pages," she said. "Much of the past has been obliterated from my memory, and many experiences recur to my mind indistinctly, as if all had been dreams. However, I will narrate a few facts and incidents."

"My name is Jean Audley, not Scotch, but named for a Scotch friend of the family. I was born thirty-five years ago at Simpkins, near El Paso, Tex., where my father, Henry Kelsy Audley, still lives and owns a ranch. He was born at Kent, England. My mother was Hope Woods, who was born and reared in Livingston county, New York. The marriage of my parents did not prove a happy one, and some time after the birth of the two children, myself and sister, Carlo, three years my junior, there was a separation and mother returned to her native home. Sister and I lived alternately with our parents making frequent trips back and forth by rail. The principal part of our schooling was received in the Empire State. While we have the greatest admiration for our mother, who was a Quakeress, and the most lovable woman that ever lived, we preferred to be on the Texas plains. There we had our ponies and dogs and spent much of our time in the saddle. We raised the cowboys in heading cattle and driving stock to market, and it is needless for me to say that we became expert horsewomen. Father owns land near Ozark, Mo., and we made a number of trips to that place on our ponies."

START ON LONG JOURNEY.

"A year ago last June sister and I left our Texas home on a long horseback journey. Sister rode Satan, her favorite pony, and I rode Kentucky Belle, the dear little animal I have with me here. Father supplied us with plenty of money and designated certain points along our route where we were to stop and receive additional funds by mail. After reaching

ing Ozark and attending to some business for father, we proceeded on our trip, crossing Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania, finally reaching our destination in New York after four months of travel. We avoided most of the cities and larger towns and did not camp out as I am doing at present. We stopped with farmers and at hotels in small towns and often could not induce our hosts to accept pay for our lodging. We touched a few cities, among them Canton, O., where we saw the McKinley home and tomb.

"Mother died four years ago, and we made our home with Aunt Faith. We remained with her during the winter, and in April made preparations to return to our home in Texas. We decided to take a different route in order that we might see more of the country, and to carry a few cooking utensils that we might camp out when we took a fancy to do so."

DOGS FINELY BRED

"We also decided to take our dogs with us, and I will have you understand that they are finely-bred canines and not mongrels picked up along the way, as has been reported. Robbuck, Wolf, Lynx, Monk, Fawn, Ferret, Panther, Pioneer, Pathway, Elk, Moose and Chipmunk were sent to us by express from Texas. You notice that they obey my every beck and call and have a great attachment for me. My love for them is only equalled by a mother's love for her offspring. As for Kentucky Belle, I would willingly lay down my life for her at any time. After expressing such affection for dumb animals, you may be surprised to know that I have never had a love affair in my life. I have always found the company of dogs more congenial than the company of men."

"But, to return to my story. We passed through the beautiful Shenandoah valley and swam the Potomac twice. We carved our names and the names of our ponies on a stone at the base of the Natural Bridge in Virginia. Reaching the Cumberland Mountains, we climbed a pinnacle near Cumberland Gap, and sister made a sketch of the scene, which she called the "Triangle of States." It was here in these mountains that our troubles began."

SISTER MURDERED.

"And now, sir, I will tell you of the saddest thing that ever came into my life. We had not traveled many days from Cumberland Gap when I became ill. Late in the afternoon we dismounted, as I could sit in the saddle no longer. A cold rain was falling, and there was no shelter near. Sister left me lying by the roadside and started to a point in the distance where she thought she saw smoke issuing from a cabin, in the hope that she could get someone to come to my relief. The long, dreary hours of the night passed away and she did not return. At daybreak I started in search of her, and came upon her lifeless body about a mile away. That dear little dog Fawn was lying beside her. Her skull had been crushed with a beer bottle, and the perpetrator of the foul murder was never apprehended. All that was ever known was that some desperate characters had been seen in that neighborhood the day before. I had her body taken a considerable distance to a railroad station and accompanied it to New York. Sister Carlo sleeps beside dear mother, and their graves, marked by a modest monument, with a beautiful lilac bush growing on either side."

At this point she broke down and wept bitterly, and to all appearances gave vent to the most genuine emotions. In a few moments she continued:

RESUMED JOURNEY ALONE.

"Over the protests of Aunt Faith and other relatives I returned to the Cumberland mountains and started again on my journey alone. I had left the ponies and dogs in charge of Judge Trimble, and when I returned I sold Satan to a Miss Hall, who was suspected of being a Government agent. I was told that I was putting my life in jeopardy to travel as I was doing in that country, as I would be mistaken for a secret service agent and shot by the moonshiners. Many persons, even here, think I am a detective, but I will assure you that I could scarcely detect a bad odor unless confined within the walls of an Indiana poor asylum."

"Near Greensburg, in Green county, Kentucky, I went into camp one evening back of an old church and had been there but a short time when I was surrounded by a body of evil-looking men."

CAPTURED BY MOONSHINERS.

"One of them said they suspected me of being a Government man in disguise and declared that they did not propose to take any chances on me. Leveling an ugly revolver at me he fired and one of his companions, standing near me, received the shot and fell dead. I have always thought that his object in firing was simply to frighten me. I was taken to the home of a Mr. Whitlock and held for some days. I

learned that the man who was killed was George Mauck. This was my only experience with the moonshiners and it was this circumstance that gave rise to the report that I had killed a man in Kentucky. As a matter of fact I never carried firearms in my life and have no use for them. This harmless little weapon I have here was given me by Mr. Harris, of Suthon, Ky., as a keepsake. I do not care to boast of my bravery. Nevertheless I have been in a pile of twists, as the cowboys say, and Texas grit has always carried me through without resorting to the use of shooting irons."

"From the mountains of Eastern Kentucky to Brandenburg, in Meade county, from which point I was ferried across the Ohio river to this county, the only annoyance I experienced came from high dignitaries in office who wanted to hold me as a lunatic or vagrant."

"Because I love nature and delight in crossing rivers, camping in valleys and climbing mountains, some persons say I am crazy. My opinion of these people is less complimentary. I consider them stupid."

"I am anxious to go on to my home in Texas and hope soon to be on the road again."

Jamestown Exposition Notes.

The Jamestown Exposition, near Norfolk, Va., next year, will be open longer than any similar enterprise yet held in the United States. It is to run from April 26 to November 29—seven months and five days.

The Arts and Crafts Village at the Jamestown Exposition will be a feature never before seen at a national celebration. It is bound to be one of the great attractions, and being something new it will be visited by millions.

The Jamestown Exposition will be one vast Colonial city in architecture, environment, art and industrial activity. The exposition visitor will live during his stay in an atmosphere of Colonial romance and history. To paraphrase Napoleon's famous remark at the Pyramids, "Three centuries will look down upon you."

Lee's Parade, the large space set aside on the grounds of the Jamestown Exposition for the drill work of the military bodies from all nations, is named in honor of Gen. Robert E. Lee, the great Confederate chieftain and one of Virginia's favorite sons. These military parades and drills will surpass any that have been held.

The evolution of war craft and other shipping will be portrayed at the Jamestown Exposition next year, not by pictures and drawings, but by real wood and metal models of correct size. The three ships which brought the first settlers across from England to Jamestown will be reproduced faithfully, riding at anchor off the exposition grounds in Hampton Roads.

Norfolk and the neighboring towns and cities in Tidewater Virginia are making extensive preparations to handle the vast throngs of visitors who will attend the Jamestown Tercentennial Exposition in 1907. In addition to the scores of hotels and the hundreds of boarding houses already in these cities and summer resorts by the sea, many new hotels of a temporary character though well built, are being constructed near the grounds.

Yet We Say They Do.

A man who likes to delve into the English language and point out its incongruities recently came out of his latest trance, and asked a friend these questions:

Did you ever see a stone sleep?
Or a man catch his breath?
Or a man pull up a river?
Or an apple turn over?
Or hear a bed tick?
Or a peanut stand?
Or a cracker box?
Or a day pass by?
Or a snake dance?
Or a sardine box?
Or see ink stand?
Or a bed spring?
Or a night fall?
Or a ship spar?
Or a ginger snap?
Or a clock run?
Or a rail fence?
Or a skate fish?
Or sugar bowl?
Or a vine run?
Or a horse fly?
Or a hair die?

FRIGHTFULLY BURNED.

Chas. W. Moore, a machinist, of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned in an electrical furnace. He applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve with the usual result: "A quick and perfect cure." Greatest healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, Sores, Eczema and Piles. 25c at A. M. Hughes, Druggist.

Home Circle Column.

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

There are many good seeming men who, if all their day's thoughts and feelings were to be suddenly developed into acts, visible to the eye, would run from themselves, as men in earthquakes run from the fiery gaps of the ground, and sulphurous cracks that open the way to the uncooled center of perdition.

We should bear the burdens of life cheerfully. It is wrong to cultivate discontentment when we could enjoy peace and happiness. Some people look on the dark side of every picture, and thereby lose the beauty of today's sunshine in anticipating the dark clouds of tomorrow. Let us rather catch the sunshine and weave its golden threads into a fabric of life, and when the night of sorrow sheds its gloom around us those threads of treasured sunshine will make our sadness less. We should meet our troubles with a will determined to conquer.

Who has not for a moment felt while climbing the steep path of life that his burden was heavier than his heart could bear? But we must ever look upward and never falter. If we will renew our hope and continue in our route, our ambition will at last be crowned with success. It has often been said that "every day has its pain and sorrows." This is true, but we must say that every day has likewise its pleasures and joys. We are only drinking out of that mixed cup which Providence has prepared for all.

This column is published weekly in the hope that it may awaken on the part of the husband and child a deeper appreciation of her who is the central figure of home; that it may strengthen the family bonds, making them more beautiful and tender; that it may encourage charity and breathe hope for the future, where language is music and love is law. We trust this department may to the young brighten and deepen the pleasures and memories of home, while to the advanced in years something may be said that will bring to view the reflected radiance of a golden dawn. We should be pleased to occasionally hear from our readers who appreciate this department. It does no harm to drop a word even in the pathway of an editor whose road seems ever to lead among the thorns.

Teach the children to be kind to the unfortunate in life, and never to make game of any, for heaven loves and pities the poor and humble. Let conversations at home be pure; help the children with their lessons at night and see that they give proper time to their lessons while at home, and to be respectful to their teachers. And again I say, help them with their lessons. Of course, there are some parents who are unfortunate and can't assist their children. So much the more should they give them the advantage of studying, that they may profit wherein they themselves have erred. Even if fancy work is laid aside and the little dresses are to be plain, give more time and interest to improving the mind, for how much better, says Ruskin, is a soul and mind well cared for, than fine dress. For when refining qualities surround the home, the home will influence the school, and the school influence the community. Around the home hearths may lie the serpents coiled to strike with its poisoning fangs the prattling child about its mother's knee. So invoke the guardian angel of peace to hover over your home nest, that you may be secure under the shadow of his wings.

Do not waste your vitality and time in anxiety about your neighbors' spiritual or moral condition. The one thing of importance above all others for each individual is self-development. Once developed you will be an inspiration to others to help themselves. You were sent here to make the best use of your spirit and mind. Unless you do this, it is useless for you to attempt to benefit others. If you do this your example will be an inspiration and a guide.

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If you keep quiet and set an example of happy, attractive morality and unselfishness you will be a more successful reformer than a thousand aggressive and disagreeable teachers and meddlers. You cannot live another's life, but you can live your own and live it well. Ask no man's advice, but study the people you meet and avoid the habits and manners which you find annoying to you in others, and cultivate the qualities you find are pleasing and helpful.

The time many people give to worry over the depravity of the world might be given to self analysis and meditation.

Resolve to do and be what you want others to do and be.

It is more important to be than to do, remember, yet if you do something worth while you are sure to do something worth while. The lighted lamp gives forth radiance.

There are those who waste life in running about the world offering matches to fellow pilgrims they believe to be in the dark, while their own lamps are unlighted.

There is a great plant of spiritual electric light within yourself. The most important thing in life is to find that plant and to connect all your being with it.

Be a radiant center wherever you go.

Keep your own wires in good working order and you will not need to urge others to avoid the darkness. They will see the radiance you cast and it will be a more convincing argument than a thousand sermons.

Once you set about this work of self-development—spiritual development, not mental culture—you will find that you are a growing power among people. Luck, health and happiness will attend you. Strength, stimulation, courage and hope will awaken in those with whom you associate. You will become a power for good. Make yourself before you attempt to make others.

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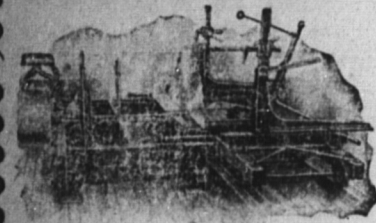
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At Matewan on the N. & W. Saturday morning, Wilson Craig, a well known young man of that community, attempted to board a freight train going at a speed of about thirty miles an hour. He seized hold of the handle-bar on the rear of the caboose and the jerk was so strenuous that he lost his grip and was hurled about thirty feet landing on his head. His scalp was laid open when it came in contact with the end of a cross-tie, and his skull was fractured in three different places. He was picked up unconscious, and Dr. Burgess was summoned. Strange to relate, at 6 o'clock Saturday evening Craig was still alive, but there are no hopes entertained for his recovery.

A wedding which has been gen-

erally expected to occur some time during the summer, ere autumn weddings were scheduled, occurred Sunday, in Columbus. It was that of Charles P. Carpenter and Miss May Serey, who chose Sunday, "the best day of all," for their wedding day. Bright and early Sabbath morn this couple, especially interesting because of their coming marriage, accompanied by Misses Mayme and Loretta Serey, found themselves on the N. & W. line, speeding past the fine farms, sweet clover and wheat fields, and thriving cities which abound between Kenova and Columbus.—Cattlettsburg item.

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OUR NEIGHBORS.

Wm. Nelson (colored), who is the proud father of triplet daughters, had them down street Saturday, and they were the cynosure of all eyes. The youngsters are now 9 months of age, and are named Faith, Hope and Charity.—Cattlettsburg item.

Word comes from Buchanan that Dr. Manley Warren was hurt last week by his horse taking fright and running away, dumping him out of the buggy. However, we have been unable to learn any particulars concerning the nature or extent of his injuries.

The many friends of Joe Miller, former baggage-master on the Lexington division of the C. & O., were shocked Friday morning to hear that he had committed suicide at 6 o'clock last evening at the home of his parents at Barbourville. A Winchester shotgun was used as a means of ending his earthly career.

T. S. Salyer, U. S. Deputy Marshal, of this city, arrested four moonshiners Tuesday night, near Miner, Elliott county. They were Jasper Brown, Andy Brown, John Brown, and Nancy Brown. He brought them before H. L. Woods, U. S. Commissioner, at Olive Hill, to have an examining trial next week. He caught them in the cliffs of Laurel creek.

Mr. Henry Morrison, of Fleming county, has four acres of red burley tobacco, two acres of which is said to be a wonder. It is reported that the leaves now measure forty inches in length and twenty-two inches in width. The tobacco is very tall and has a fine body. The rows are three and one half feet apart, and it is almost impossible to get through the patch.

Wm. Sloan died at his home on East Carter avenue, Tuesday evening, after a lingering illness of consumption. He was 48 years of age, and is survived by a widow and eight children, whose friends sympathize deeply with them in their affliction. At 10 o'clock this morning the funeral services were held at the house, by Rev. Andrew Pennington, of the Baptist Church, and at 1 o'clock this afternoon the body was interred at Dixon burying ground.—Ind.

Sloan had relatives in Louisa and on George's Creek.

Huntington, W. Va., Aug. 17.—Anne Davis, said to have been the largest woman in the world, died suddenly today at her home, 15 miles south of here, near Hubbardstown. She was 30 years of age and weighed 720 pounds. The coffin, which was made, was 5 feet wide and 3 feet deep. The dead woman has a sister

two years younger, who weighs 500 pounds. This woman seldom traveled. She was so large she could not get through the end door of a passenger coach. Entrance could be effected only through the side door of a baggage or freight car.

Salyersville, Ky., Aug. 17.—The Middlefork feudists have been rounded up and it is believed there will be no further trouble. Leander Risner was brought before County Judge Patrick today and waiving examination trial, was held to the grand jury in \$3,000 bail. Clay Gullett and his brother John are too badly wounded to appear in Court. Risner is shot in the face, but his wounds are not of a serious nature. John Gullett is stabbed in the back, and Clay Gullett is shot in the shoulder. Warne Arnett, who was killed, was buried Tuesday. His relatives are threatening vengeance on the Gulletts, but the officials have no fear.

Gilbert Sanders, a colored boy with piscatory aspirations, purloined a minnow bucket from Postmaster Barnes, Friday. The Postmaster swore out a warrant against the negro boy for petit larceny. Saunders was arraigned before Acting County Judge Quince Johnson on the charge and was given the minimum penalty, thirty days in jail. The boy's father afterwards suggested an old-time whipping. Judge Johnson swore out an injunction against the Statutes and introduced the whipping post. The boy was then given a most severe thrashing by his father, so severe, in fact, that Judge Johnson was compelled to interfere in the boy's behalf. The boy has perhaps sworn off from fishing, minnows, or anything pertaining to the finny tribe or anything that smells thereof.—Bath Co. Times.

Lying scattered over an area one hundred yards square, on Hamilton branch of Iron creek, in Elliott county, are to be found thousands of small pieces of red garnet, chrysolite and ilmenite. The presence of these stones, together with the fact that various geological reports have determined this place to have been the crater of what was once a volcano, has decided a group of Cincinnati and Portsmouth capitalists to organize a corporation known as the Kentucky Diamond Mining and Development Company, with a capital stock of \$5,000,000, for the purpose of mining the dykes in that locality. Equipment and machinery costing \$75,000 have already been purchased and is on the ground, and will be set up as soon as the cement foundation, which is in course of construction is finished.

Both the yellow and blue dirt, or ash, has been removed at this point to a depth of nearly twenty feet, leaving the black rock, or kimberlite, exposed for ten square yards. Kimberlite is an eruptive rock, so distinct in its characteristics that its identity cannot be mistaken. It is rare in its occurrence. None has as yet ever been discovered except in South Africa and in Elliott county, Ky. In South Africa, it is the carrier of diamonds, and has produced 98 per cent. of the world's supply of these gems for the past thirty-five years. In the quantitative and chemical analyses of this jewel-bearing medium made by Austin G. Miller, secretary of the company, he has already found twenty different minerals. When this stone is first uncovered, it is so hard that it can scarcely be broken, but on continued exposure to the air it crumbles and looks like ashes. This is the reason that the operators propose to cover the surface of the rock with ten inches of lime cement.

No diamonds have yet been discovered, but the accessory and accompanying minerals, of which kimberlite carries more than any known mineral, the least plentiful of which is diamond, have all been identified and classified as existing in both the kimberlite of Africa and the kimberlite of Kentucky, including a sort of decomposed form of olivite, which is reported by the South African geologists, always to accompany diamonds.

The general manager of the company already operating is Taylor Warnock, a nephew of Col. John T. Ratcliffe. Among the stockholders are R. S. Pritchard and Nathan T. Ricky, of Portsmouth, Ohio. The local managers is Dr. Clarence Warnock, son of Taylor Warnock. He is assisted by Elijah Jackson, who owns the surface and lives just on the outside of the edge of the Iron creek crater.

There is a movement on foot among some business men of Carter county to organize another corporation for the purpose of developing other lands on Iron creek, on which Wat Pritchard, of Grayson, has lately secured an option.

There is very little excitement among the people generally, but the land owners near the diamond field are asking big prices for their land.

If you need a watch chain get it at Conley's. New line just in.

Louisa,

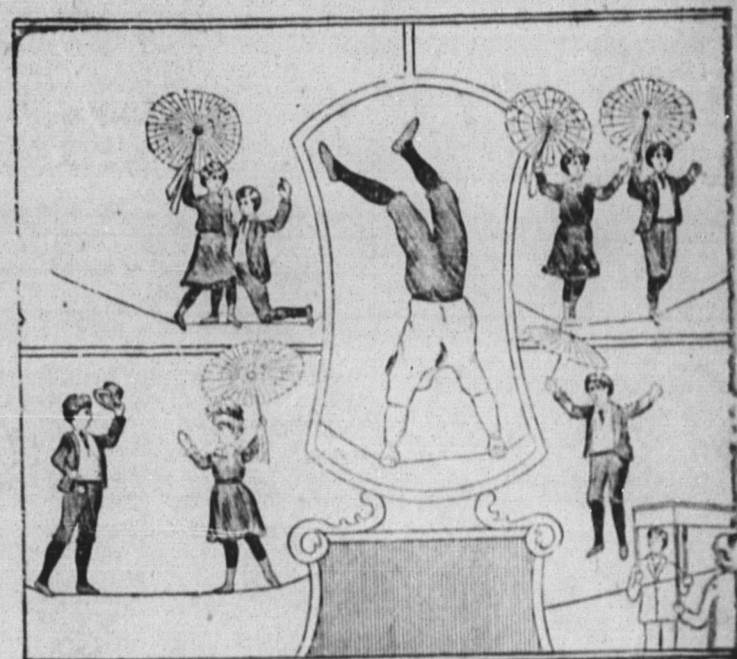
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